

Notice of Commencement

Dundas Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Mississauga East Project - Transit Project Assessment Process (TPAP)

Metrolinx, in collaboration with the City of Mississauga, is continuing to advance planning for the Dundas Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) corridor by commencing the Transit Project Assessment Process (TPAP) for the Dundas BRT Mississauga East (between Etobicoke Creek and Confederation Parkway) Project, in accordance with Ontario Regulation 231/08.

THE PROJECT

The Dundas BRT Project is a proposed transportation corridor along a 48 kilometre stretch of Dundas Street from Highway 6 in the City of Hamilton through to the Kipling Transit Hub in the City of Toronto, linking Etobicoke and Mississauga City Centres. More than 20 kilometres of this 48 kilometre municipal transit project would operate in bus lanes or in a dedicated right-of-way, separate from other traffic, allowing faster and more reliable transit connections. This notice is for the Mississauga East (between Etobicoke Creek and Confederation Parkway) seven kilometre segment of the corridor (herein referred to as the Dundas BRT Mississauga East Project).

THE PROCESS

The TPAP, as prescribed in Ontario Regulation 231/08 made under the *Environmental Assessment Act*, is now commencing for the Mississauga East segment of the proposed Dundas BRT Project. The TPAP is a proponent-driven, self-assessment process that provides a defined framework to follow to complete the accelerated assessment of the potential environmental effects and decision-making within the regulated assessment timeline. As part of the TPAP, a Dundas BRT Mississauga East Environmental Project Report (EPR) is being prepared. Following this period, interested persons will have an opportunity to review the EPR during a regulated 30-day period, followed by a regulated 35-day review period by the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks.

CONSULTATION

We thank everyone for their feedback to date. In January, Metrolinx will host virtual Public Engagement 3 for the Dundas BRT Mississauga East Project, where you will have the chance to:

- Review what we heard during Public Engagement 2 and how feedback was incorporated;
- Review and comment on environmental study results, including potential impacts and proposed mitigation measures, as part of the TPAP;
- Learn about how the design for the Cooksville pinch point and the remainder of the Mississauga East segment has been optimized to reduce potential impacts; and
- Connect with the Project Team and review next steps for the Project.

Public Engagement 3

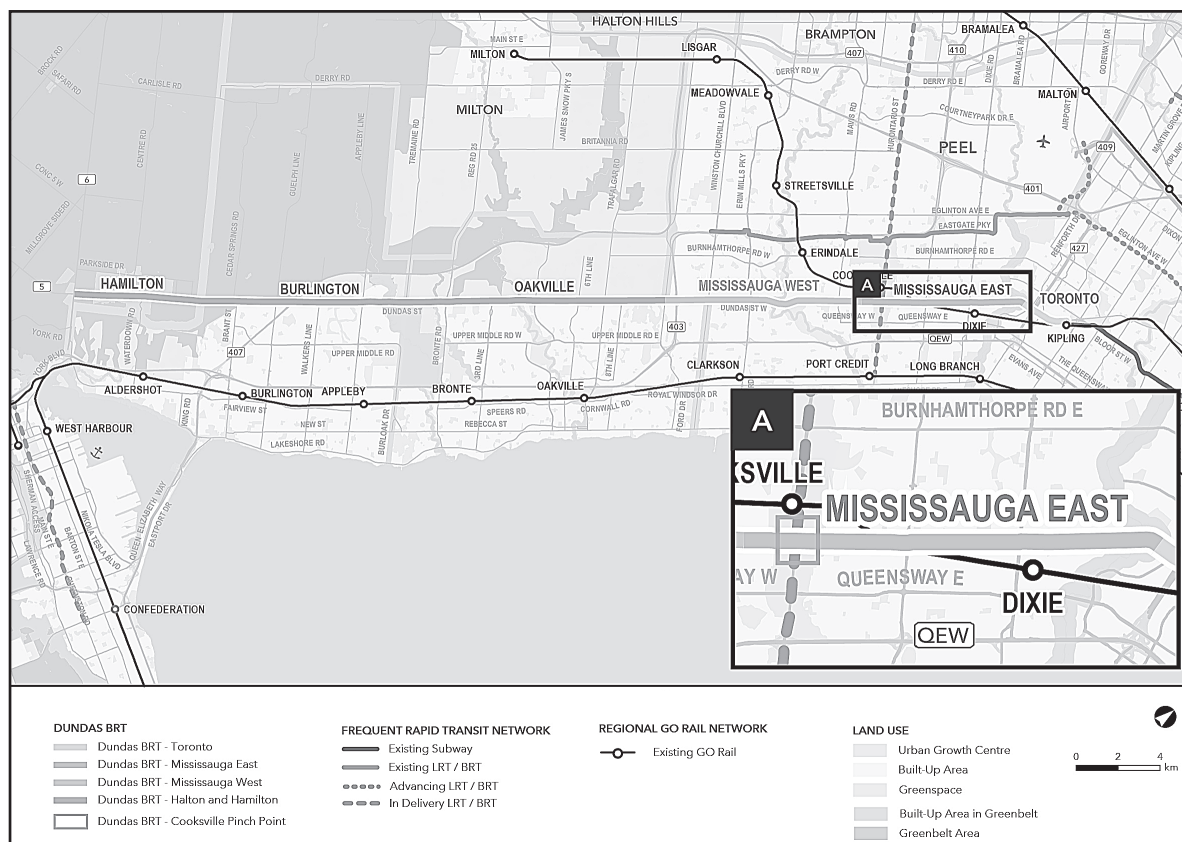
Virtual Metrolinx Live meeting: Thursday, January 27, 2022 from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Register for and attend this virtual event on Metrolinx Engage at www.MetrolinxEngage.com/DundasBRT

Online Engagement will be open from Tuesday, **January 18** to Tuesday, **February 1, 2022**

Participants will be able to provide feedback on Dundas BRT Mississauga East Project materials using the 'Ask-A-Question' function before, during and after the Metrolinx Live meeting and by completing an online feedback form. Following Public Engagement 3, the Project Team will consider the input received, prepare the Dundas BRT Mississauga East EPR, and publish the Notice of Completion. The Dundas BRT Mississauga East EPR will then be available for public review and comment.

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PROVIDE FEEDBACK

Stay involved with the Dundas BRT Project. We have a dedicated Community Relations team for each region available to answer your questions and receive your feedback at any time.

Email us at:

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If you have project-related questions, would like to request hard copies of consultation materials, require accessibility accommodations or would like to provide input, please contact the Community Relations team from your region (above), or call 416-202-7500.

All personal information included in a submission - such as name, address, telephone number and property location - is collected, maintained and disclosed by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks for the purpose of transparency and consultation. The information is collected under the authority of the Environmental Assessment Act or is collected and maintained for the purpose of creating a record that is available to the general public as described in s. 37 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. Personal information you submit will become part of a public record that is available to the general public unless you request that your personal information remain confidential. For more information, please visit metrolinx.com/en/aboutus/privacy.aspx or contact the Senior Privacy Officer for Metrolinx at 416-202-5941.

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